

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant	:	Andre Louis Koekemoer et al.	
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Title	:	Blasting System and Programming of Detonators	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 21, 2008

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION INCLUDING AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2008, Applicant submits the within amendment and remarks for entry in the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Specification: none.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract: none.

Amendments to the Drawings: none.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.